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Hello, everyone. Welcome to the October 2006 edition of the Radio HF Internet Newsletter. I welcome any new subscribers to this publication. We have a selection of links to web sites which I hope you will find informative and entertaining.

Here is my part of the world, Autumn is upon us and the annual festival of fall colours is in full swing. If you've never experienced the display of the leaves changing in the northern hemisphere, it is truly something to see. If you've ever wondered how and why it happens, be sure to check out a web site in the Fun and Services Zone called "The Chemistry of Autumn Colours".

Of particular note this month, the name of Tokyo Rose will mean something to anyone with an interest in radio history. Iva Toguri, the woman known as "Tokyo Rose", passed away at the end of September. The Radio Zone includes a website where you can learn more about her and actually listen to clips of her broadcasts.

Be sure to read the Comments Zone as two of our subscribers have shared their memories of September 11, 2001 with us.

The Monthly Special Zone for October has sites dealing with World Space Week, National Rainforest Week and, of course, Halloween!

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THE MONTHLY SURVEY

LAST MONTH'S SURVEY

Who would you consider to be your hero or role model?

Well, we had an odd reaction to this one. We had 14 responses. Only one person received more than a single vote and, believe it or not, that person was none other than actor John Wayne!!

Other single vote-getters included Pope John Paul II, Nelson Mandela, Michael Faraday, Carl Sagan, David Suzuki, Michio Kaku, Mother Teresa, Ronald Reagan, musician/poet Henry Rollins, any astronaut, and only one Father vote. The most surprising response went to a local Montreal ham operator, Murray Epstein (VE2AUU)! Check out Murray's personal site at http://www3.sympatico.ca/ve2auu/

THIS MONTH'S SURVEY

Let's turn to politics this month. Although the U.S. Presidential elections are still a few years away Americans, and the rest of the world for that matter, are wondering who will replace George Bush. In speaking with many of my U.S. friends, at this early date, there seems to be no real front-runner, for either party. So, this month, I ask you to look in to your crystal ball and come up with a prediction.

Who will be the next President of the United States of America?

Please send your response, by e-mail, to hfnewsletter@...

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THE COMMENTS ZONE

Meyer Toole, Toronto, Ontario: Thank you for the excellent compilation (9-11 Special Edition). All of us will remember exactly what we were doing at the time of the news, just as those of us old enough
remember where we were when JFK was shot. On September 11, I was at an Embedded Computing show at the Holiday Inn, Pointe Claire, Quebec. At about 9 AM, the fellow that handles to shipping and customs details for the show came running in to tell us that he just spoke to his wife in Seattle, and she described what she just saw on TV. Everyone immediately lost interest in the show. We all went into the bar area where the hotel turned all of the large TV's on. We all watched in awe, trying to make some sense of what we were seeing. Indeed, it all made a lasting impression.

JAMES KEEP, Vaudreuil-Dorion, Quebec: Greetings! Many thanks for the 9/11 special. As like you, it affected me greatly. I had just walked from Windsor Station to our office at the time, 1425 Dorchester blvd. My morning routine was to turn on 940 news and catch-up. The report was from CNN at that specific moment 0906 hrs. A man being interviewed was talking about the jet plane crash into a buildingthen I heard the actual second crash not realizing that this was a real-time event. My heart was broken as I had been into the WTC previously. And within two (2) months, the consulting company I was employed at went bankrupt due to the direct effect of the 9/11 attacks (many public companies and several of our government contracts were frozen).
The first person I called was my brother, Cpl. Chris Keep (Canadian Air Force) stationed at CFB Cold Lake, AB. He said, "Jim, the American F-18s are staying put; there's no place for them to go in the US!" The base was on Alert and Standing-by.
At 1100 hrs I walked down Ste. Catherine Street to get a breath of air; and all I heard was Arabic dialect coming from the taxis parked along the street it was surreal! Not hard to become very cynical at that moment in time. I told my wife Chantal on 9/11 that this was most chilling to look into the sky and not hear nor see any aircraft. Almost like what my grandfather had described while in London, GB during WWII and the V-2 rockets.
Anyways, thanks again. Five (5) years later and I'm still not over it. Something as great as the WTC was a spectacular site to see whenever I went to NYC. Now, I refuse to go the City since it's not how I remember it. Funny New Orleans didn't have that effect on me. QSL!

GUY GOURNAY, Longueuil, Quebec: You always have a very interesting document. Thanks for your work.

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THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Things dropped off again this month with only 7 contributors. Please consider taking a moment to share some of your favourite web sites with us. Your input is greatly appreciated.

Skip Arey, Beverly, New Jersey
Larry Dolan, Pierrefonds, Quebec
Eric Floden, Vancouver, British Columbia

Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec
Brandon Jordan, Memphis, Tennessee
Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario
Elmer Standish, Courtenay, British Columbia
Yahoo Weekly Picks

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THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

WORLD SPACE WEEK

http://www.worldspaceweek.org/

"Celebrated October 4 to 10 each year at the international level to mark the contributions of space science and technology to the betterment of the human condition" -- as declared by the United Nations General Assembly.

RAINFOREST ACTION NETWORK

http://www.ran.org/

October 16 to 22 is National Rainforest Week. Rainforest Action Network (RAN) is made up of 36 staff members in San Francisco, CA and in Tokyo, Japan, plus thousands of volunteer scientists, teachers, parents, students and other concerned citizens around the world. We believe that a sustainable world can be created in our lifetime, and that aggressive action must be taken immediately to leave a safe and secure world for our children.

UNICEF CANADA

http://www.unicef.ca/

UNICEF Canada proudly celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2005. It all began in 1955 when the Canadian UNICEF Committee was formed to organize the first Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF campaign. This campaign, which now raises over $3 million a year, has become a time-honoured tradition so much so that October 31 is National UNICEF Day by declaration of the Government of Canada.

HALLOWEEN ONLINE

http://www.halloween-online.com/

The Internet's largest Halloween resource.

THE MOONLIT ROAD

http://www.themoonlitroad.com/

Ghost stories and strange folktales of the American South, as told by the region's most celebrated storytellers. We invite you to light a lantern, open the gate and come take a walk down The Moonlit Road.

NEVER ENDING WONDER RADIO

http://www.neverendingwonder.com/radio.htm

Get into the Halloween spirit by tuning in to three different Halloween themed Internet radio services, all accessible from this web page.

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THE OCTOBER ZONE

Each month we feature the monthly page from Wikipedia, the free, on-line encyclopedia.
The page features an overview of the month, plus background and general information on the month itself. The actual monthly calendar, clickable day by day, gives a list of special events in history, famous birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for each day.

Here is the link for the month of October.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/October

Also, here are some special days in October:

VIA http://espanol.ucanr.org/Calendario/October_2006.htm

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

Halloween Safety Month
National Breast Cancer Awareness Month
National Domestic Violence Awareness Month
Polish American Heritage Month

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

4-10 United Nations World Space Week
8-14 Fire Prevention Week
16-22 World Rainforest Week
24-30 United Nations: Disarmament Week

SPECIAL DAYS

2 United Nations World Habitat Day
2 Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement)
5 United Nations World Teachers' Day
9 Columbus Day
9 Leif Erikson Day
12 Columbus Day (Traditional)
16 World Food Day
17 United Nations International Day for the Eradication of Poverty
22 Mother-In-Law Day
24 United Nations Day
24 United Nations World Development Information Day
29 Daylight Saving Time Ends: Standard Time Resumes at 2 am
29 Internet Created: 1969
31 National UNICEF Day

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

National Pajama Month
1-7 Squirrel Awareness Week
15 - National Grouch Day
21 Sweetest Day
23 National Mole Day
27 Frankenstein Friday
31 - Halloween

Source: Chase's Calendar of Events 2006

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NOTICE TO ALL SHORTWAVE LISTENERS
2007 PASSPORT TO WORLD BAND RADIO IS COMING!

Radio HF is once again pleased to offer this annual shortwave station directory. Shortwave listeners have long enjoyed this most popular guide to World Band Radio! Master the airwaves using these shortwave program guides, equipment reviews, and tools for better listening. There are more than 100 countries reaching out every day with news, music and entertainment. Make Passport your guide. This book includes a frequency by frequency guide to shortwave stations and other listening resources.
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Equipment reviews
Tools for better listening
Radios for emergencies
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THE RADIO ZONE

EARTHSTATION 1 RADIO PROPAGANDA TOKYO ROSE

http://www.earthstation1.com/Tokyo_Rose.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

She was probably the most listened-to disc jockey in history, yet hardly anyone remembers her as such today, in spite of, or perhaps because of, the lingering infamous legend surrounding her. Iva Toguri passed away on September 27th in Chicago. This page offers historical information as well as audio clips of her broadcasts.

DX TESTS

http://www.dxtests.info/

VIA Brandon Jordan, Memphis, Tennessee

This page is your source for the latest mediumwave DX tests scheduled by the National Radio Club and the International Radio Club of America.

ROGUE RADIO RESEARCH

http://www.roguecom.com/rogueradio/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Rogue Radio Research is dedicated to the scholarly study of micro radio. This site contains original research on micro radio, general and specific guides, information, and annotated links to micro radio and related resources.

VK2TIP IAN PURDIE'S ELECTRONICS TUTORIAL RADIO DESIGN PAGES

http://my.integritynet.com.au/purdic/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

VK2TIP Ian Purdie's electronics tutorial radio design pages for amateur, ham radio, electronic project enthusiasts as well as for the electronic hobbyist and for home learning to design your own electronic projects.

75 YEARS OF RADIO-DESIGN 1923 1998

http://members.aol.com/gaclasen/indexe.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Gerd Clasens of Germany has assembled this page. Much of the equipment profiled on the page is from his personal collection.

HEART'S CONTENT CABLE STATION

http://www.jproc.ca/ve3fab/hearts_content.html

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

This summer, my neighbour and his wife visited Canada's Maritime Provinces. When he was in Newfoundland he took a few photos of the Heart's Content Cable Station and surprised me with them.
Rather than store the photos in the dark recesses of my computer, I thought I would post them along with the story found in the visitor's brochure. Prior to seeing all this, I was not even aware that we had such a historical jewel in Canada.

DELAYING THE BROADCAST

http://blog.modernmechanix.com/2006/02/28/delaying-the-broadcast/

VIA Eric Floden, Vancouver, British Columbia

From the Modern Mechanix blog, this article features a unique case of technical ingenuity.

DX HOLIDAY

http://www.dxholiday.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This website offers a starting point for people looking for a QTH for a: DXpedition, Contest Expedition, or IOTA Expedition! The information contained in these pages has been collected from hams who have recently operated from these locations. To get started on your "DX Holiday", click on the "DXpedition Resources" for information to help plan your DXpedition.

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RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE

RADIOWAVZ G5RV ANTENNAS

You still have time to install that new antenna before the winter winds begin to blow. One of the most famous and multi-purpose transmitting and shortwave multiband antennas is the G5RV. This antenna has become one of the staple antennas in the radio world. Radiowavz produces an excellent line of various models of G5RV antennas including the full-length model. However, for those with limited space, he G5RV-Lite is a great compromise. It gives you similar performance of a full G5 with almost half the space, in just 67 feet! Special manufactured coils help give you the G5RV performance in the space of a G5RV Jr.!

To view the various Radiowavz models of G5RV antennas, please visit:

http://www.radiowavz.com/html/g5rv.htm

Radio HF is the unique Canadian distributor for all Radiowavz antennas and accessories. Please contact Radio HF for further details.

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THE GENERAL ZONE

REPORTERS WITHOUT BORDERS

http://www.rsf.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

More than a third of the world's people live in countries where there is no press freedom. Reporters Without Borders works constantly to restore their right to be informed. Forty-two media professionals lost their lives in 2003 for doing what they were paid to do keeping us informed. Today, more than 130 journalists around the world are in prison simply for doing their job. In Nepal, Eritrea and China, they can spend years in jail just for using the "wrong" word or photo. Reporters Without Borders believes imprisoning or killing a journalist is like eliminating a key witness and threatens everyone's right to be informed. It has been fighting such practices for more than 18 years. Note that this site is available in English, French and Spanish.

TRINITY ATOMIC WEBSITE

http://www.abomb1.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site features nuclear weapons: history, technology, and consequences in historic documents, photos, and videos.

NUCLEAR FILES

http://www.nuclearfiles.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This page is an initiative of the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation. They initiate and support worldwide efforts to abolish nuclear

weapons, to strengthen international law and institutions, and to inspire and empower a new generation of peace leaders. It has consultative status to the United Nations Economic and Social Council and is recognized by the UN as a Peace Messenger Organization.

CANADIAN COAST GUARD

http://www.ccg-gcc.gc.ca/main_e.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The Canadian Coast Guard is a national institution, providing service in Maritime safety (preparation, prevention and response); Protection of the marine and freshwater environment; Facilitating maritime commerce and sustainable development; Support of marine scientific excellence; and Support of Canada's maritime priorities.

AMISH.NET

http://www.amish.net/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Amish.Net is America's first website devoted to Amish Country information, Amish made products and tourism services. Here you'll learn about the Amish people and history, the Amish culture, and its best-known icon, the horse-drawn Amish buggy. Browse online stores featuring handcrafted Amish quilts, Amish furniture, dolls and other crafts. Sample Amish foods and recipes. Better yet, plan your visit to Amish Country here. See Amish farmers working their fields, savor the aroma of home-cooked Amish noodles, and relax to the clip-clop sounds of a bygone era. You'll find it all here today...only in America's Amish Country.

NATIONAL CAVES ASSOCIATION

http://www.cavern.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site takes you underground to famous caves and caverns throughout the United States that you can visit. This is a fairly new site, with several areas still under construction.

BAT CONSERVATION INTERNATIONAL

http://batcon.org/home/default.asp

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Bat Conservation International (BCI), based in Austin, Texas, is devoted to conservation, education, and research initiatives involving bats and the ecosystems they serve. It was founded in 1982, as scientists around the world became concerned that bats essential to the balance of nature and human economies were in alarming decline.

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RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE

BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS
NEW FROM THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE & THE RADIO SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN

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- Deluxe 13-month ARRL wall calendar!

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National event dates: ARRL Field Day, Kids Day, Jamboree On The Air, and more!
Phases of the moon (also perigees and apogees)
Meteor showers
Holidays and other important dates
2007 Monthly Planner
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Published by ARRL #9961 -- $16.00 Canadian
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POWER SUPPLY HANDBOOK

- by John Fielding, ZS5JF

This book provides you with all the knowledge you need to understand and make power supplies of various types. It covers -
How power supplies work
Selecting each component in a power supply
Building and modifying supplies
Measuring the finished supply
Batteries, chargers, test equipment and more
Power Supply Handbook gives you confidence in building, maintaining, and using power supplies. Its approachable style makes it a useful guide for everyone from the novice constructor to the more experienced.
288 pages. © 2006. Published by Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). (ISBN: 1-905086-21-0) #9977 - $37.50 Canadian
Shipping in October!

MORE VERTICAL ANTENNA CLASSICS

-- ARRL's More Vertical Antenna Classics is a collection of articles from magazines such as QST, QEX and the National Contest Journal, as well as several ARRL Antenna Compendium publications. We have included designs for a variety of operating preferences and bands, including single-band and multi-band HF vertical antennas. There are also articles on ground systems, portable antennas, phased vertical arrays, and more.
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THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

THE CHEMISTRY OF AUTUMN COLOURS

http://scifun.chem.wisc.edu/chemweek/fallcolr/fallcolr.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

From this page you will learn the chemistry behind the changing colour of leaves in the autumn.

THE WEATHER CHANNEL'S FALL COLOUR REPORT

http://www.theweathernetwork.com/features/fallcolour/index.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This special page is set up each year on the Weather Channel web page to keep people up to date on the status of the changing fall leaves in Canada.

PIXSY

http://www.pixsy.com/

VIA Elmer Standish, Courtenay, British Columbia

We believe that images are more powerful than text and have developed a unique search engine that delivers only visual results, in the form of thumbnail images. We call this "visual search". Pixsy collects visual material from thousands of providers across the web, resulting in millions of photos and videos for you to search and browse. Traditional image search engines take a mathematical approach to search, with the focus entirely on relevancy. With Pixsy, you can search for both photos and videos by "relevance", "category", "provider", or "freshness".

THE 25 WORST WEB SITES

http://www.pcworld.com/article/id,127116-page,1-c,sites/article.html

VIA Yahoo Weekly Picks

Looking back at the entire history of the Web (uh, about 12 years), PC World brings you "the world's dumbest dot-coms and silliest sites." Scanning the complete list, you may feel a well of nostalgia for such naive ventures as Webvan, Pets.com, and CD Universe, as well as early examples of the Web's viral nature like I Kiss You! and the dancing baby. You'll also find some surprises: Hotmail comes in at number 20, Microsoft Windows Update at number 16. As for number 1, well, that's bound to be controversial, or maybe not.

ACRONYM ATTIC

http://www.acronymattic.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

You can use this site to search over 3 million acronyms, abbreviations and initialisms.

THE ULTIMATE BEER CAP PAGE

http://www.makk.fi/crowns/home.asp

VIA Larry Dolan, Pierrefonds, Quebec

Bottle cap collecting is a very CAPtivating hobby. There are thousands of Crown Cap collectors and also several Crown Cap societies and clubs in the world. It's nice to notice that there are newcomers to this hobby all the time. Many of us have started collecting Crowns as kids, and then maybe forgotten it for years and then started collecting again as adults. Many have been collecting for decades.

MILE HIGH ATLANTA

http://milehighatlanta.com/

VIA T. J. Skip Arey, Beverly, New Jersey

Yes, folks, this is what you think it is. Here is the ultimate example of a great business model. I knew I should have got my pilots license.

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THE 2006 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET AND SPECIAL EVENTS ZONE

Each month we list upcoming events, including hamfests, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. (Compiled by Vernon Ikeda VE2QQ, Pierrefonds, Quebec, and Radio Amateurs of Canada)

Friday, October 6 - Saturday, October 7
Hosstraders 2006 - Hopkinton, New Hampshire.
Hopkinton State Fairgrounds, Warner Street, Hopkinton, NH
Talk-in W1CPL - 146.895 (-) 100Hz CTCSS
Gates are open at 9 AM on Friday through the night till the end of event on Saturday.
Cost: Friday 09:00 to 15:00 (3 PM) - $10 per person and $10 per sellers space. After 3 PM on Friday, $5 per person and $10 per sellers space.
Note: There is a $10.00 fee for camping on Friday night.
Information: Joe Demaso, K1RQG att: k1rqg@...
Website: http://www.qsl.net/k1rqg/

Saturday, October 14
Hamilton Amateur Radio Club Hamfest 2006 - Ancaster, Ontario
Location: Merritt Hall (Ancaster Fair Grounds) on Highway 53 (Rymal Road)between Southcote Road and Kittymurry Lane
Vendors 07h00 - General Admission 09h00 / Tables - 10.00$ General Admission 6.00$
Talk-in: VE3NCF 146.760 (-)
Reservations: Mardy Eedson, VE3QEE (905)-648-0187 or E-mail at meedson@...

Saturday, October 21
Greenwood Amateur Radio Club Annual Fleamarket - Kingston, Nova Scotia
Greenwood Community Centre, Church Sreet - Follow the signs off Route 101, Exit 17.
Vendors 08h00 Public 10h00 - Admission $3.00 - tables free
Talk-in: VE1WN 147.240 (+)
For table reservations call Eric Smith, VE1CFY, via e-mail at: ve1cfy@...
Web Page: http://www3.ns.sympatico.ca/esmith/GARC

Saturday, October 28
Hamfest de Rive-sud de Montréal - Longueuil, Québec
Location: Place Desaulniers, 1023, Blvd Taschereau, Longueuil, QC
Vendors 06h00 - General Admission 09h00 - 13h00 Talk-in: VE2RSM 145.390 (-)
Information E-mail: ve2du@...
Web page: http://www.raqi.ca/~ve2clm/hamfesta.htm
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THE RESOURCES ZONE

The following is a listing of clubs, groups, and radio broadcasts that may be of interest to you.

THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly newsletter, MESSENGER, now published electronically, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby.

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as special features and web site profiles, or for a membership application.

http://www.anarc.org/cidx/

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, soon to enter its 20th year on CKUT-FM Radio McGill, 90.3 FM in Montreal, is available via the Internet on RealAudio, live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Janice and Steve Karlock, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Visit the Radio McGill web page for full CKUT programming:

http://www.ckut.ca

You may listen to archived editions of the programme through the Radio McGill web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@...

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